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Katherine Fay Hunt's Early Photo Album

Reflections
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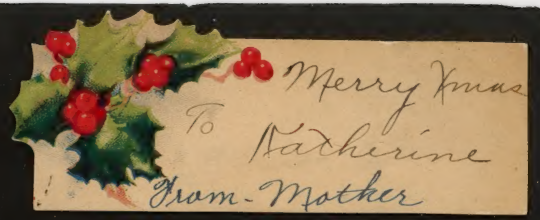
This album belonged to my grandmother, Katherine Fay Ports Hunt, and begins around her high school years in the mid-1920s. It follows a young woman's life through family, friends, school, courtship, and early marriage, while also preserving glimpses of the wider family world around her.

It is scanned here as a complete picture of the album itself. Individual pages and photos will be featured individually with more information as time permits. There are some lovely and important family Ports Hunt family photos here.

The photographs move through places that mattered to the family, including Toledo, Astoria, Portland, Camas, and Washougal. There are early Camas High School images, portraits, informal snapshots, and scenes tied to the Ports family, including the period when they lived in the Roffler house, one of the well-known houses in Camas.

Near the end, the album changes in a touching way. Beginning around page 90, an additional group of roughly 40 pages appears to come from my grandfather's own earlier album, with images from his boyhood in Iowa. At some point the two albums were combined, bringing their separate early lives together in a single book.

What survives here is more than a photo album. It is a personal record spanning roughly the mid-1920s into the early 1940s, and now, in scanned form, a preserved fragment of family memory.


Merry Xmas
To Katherine
from-Mother

Baby Brother

6 Mo

Brother

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Billie Louise

7 wks.

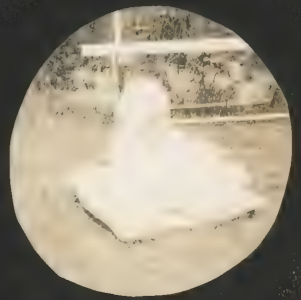
15 mo.

"Stocking Caps! I should say"

"Hey! Let go you"

"Ruth Ellen"

Laurel, Addison, Burt and Nora



"Look pleasant"

"My dollies & I"

"Be-bo-dad"

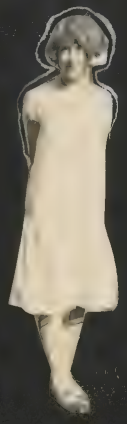
"When you & I were young Ma Ble"

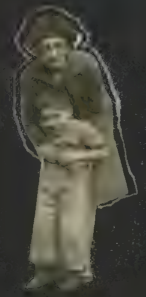
"Grandmother & granddaughter"

Normal Girls

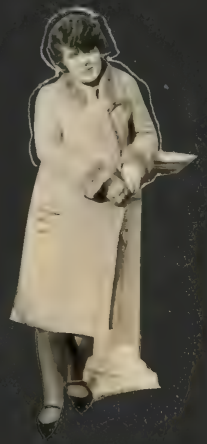
GYPSY BLOOD

Who stole my heart from me.

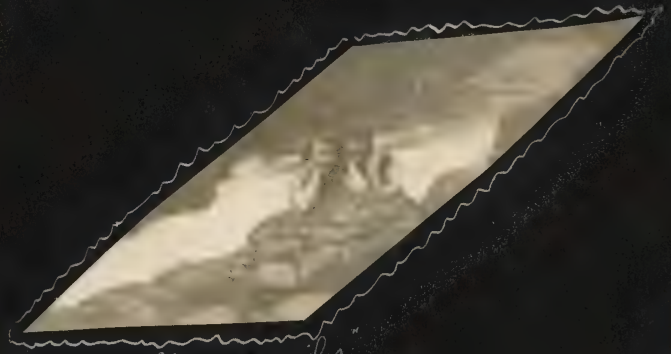




CALL OF THE WILD



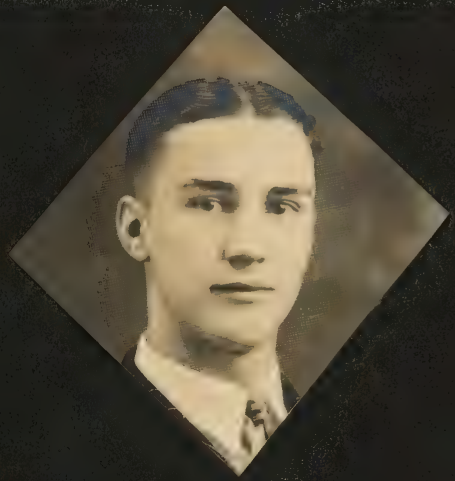
Mit Sweetheart



"Mumaids"

"Henderson, Peterson, Anderson & I"

"Three Normal Girls"



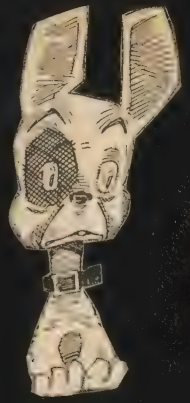
Loon "Cy"

"All We Are Doing"

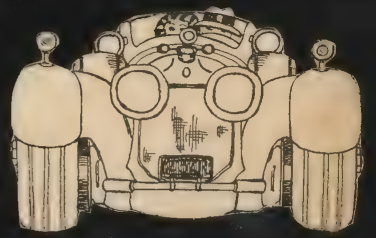
"Hello! Girls" "May I Have The Next

"Now Boys Be Yourself"

I'm not as tough as I look.



DO NOT HITCH TO TREES HITCH TO RACKS



Mother, may I go out to ride?
Yes, dear Madeline,
You may go out if you won't forget
To take your little dime.

"If you can't go wrong when your in Right"

Mrs. Right
Sawyer Baker

"The right baby"

"Thanks for the buggy ride"
Horses, horses

"Mother, may I go in swimmin'?"
"Yes, but return at ten;
Be sure to hang around the women,
And never hang around the men."

"Bathing is natural healing"

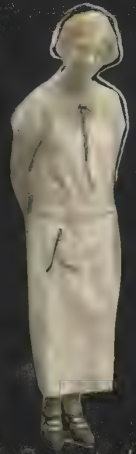
BON VOYAGE

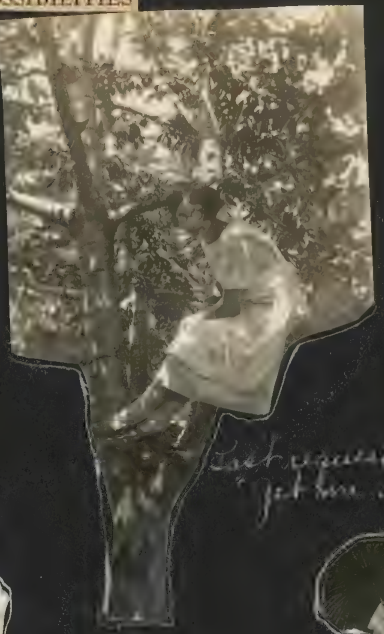
B.W.

"Thick as which?"

POSSIBILITIES

"Ports Trio"

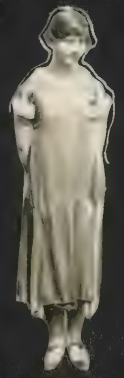




"I wonder who she's waiting for?"

"Long but not forgotten"

Let us assist, "get her Lover."



"Peeler"

"I wonder? Did she vamp him?"

"Too much to scratch"

"Not as demure as she looks"

As was

Spring is here

Brother

THE MYSTERY

"Twenty years ago."

See the birdie"

As is

Merjorie, Marion, N., Gert, [illegible] Thelma
Dorothy

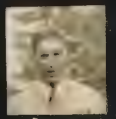
Help!! Don't let
M[illegible]

Say! Girls! Come On Over!!

"Natures pretty nice".
Camera Beauties

"Sunny Cal."

"Oh! Min."



"Jones"

"Lota"

"Kat"

"Lota"

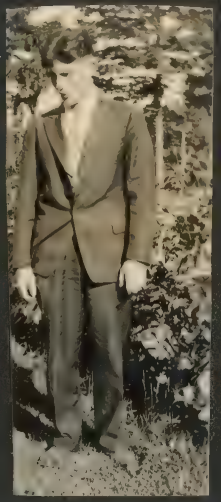
"Poor Papa"

IMPOSSIBLE POSSIBILITIES

"Elton Jones"

"I'm a man of few words. That's a lot of Applause"

"The Meiser"



"Beloved Jack"

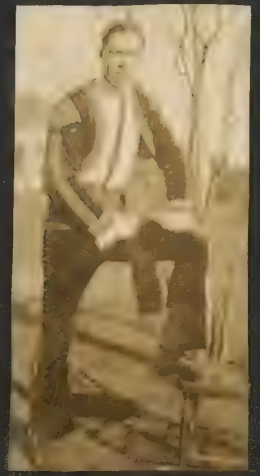
I cannot sing the old songs,
For no matter how I shout
"Valencia" on the phonograph
Is sure to drown me out.

"Sup, Sup, He all love sup"

"Cliff"

"WHAT ABOUT IT, MEN?"

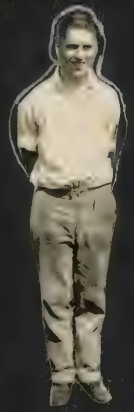
"Bert Garner"



"Jack Meiser"

"Jones Family"

"Jones & his Brother"



Sweet Sweet

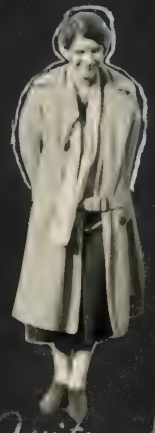
"Be careful"

"Kat"

"Elton & Enid"

"C for Audrey"

Enid



"Quite it"

"Smile"

Astoria After The Fire

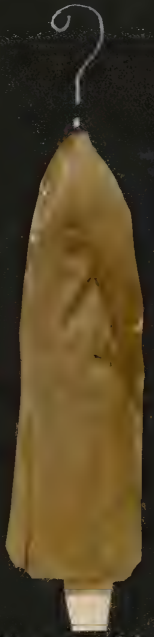
"My home"

MODERN DEFINITIONS

Home is a place where you have your mail sent.

—*Arizona Kittykat.*

WHICH IS WHICH?



Who could it be?

"I have a little Shadow"

"Stumped"

"Stranded"

Rickreall, Ore. "Practice Teachers"

Margie Allen
Eva Jean Baker
Merza Halsan
Kat.

Eva Jean Baker
Vern Phelps
Margie Allen
Merza Halsan
Irene Brumbach

"Same"

The Three Graces

A kiss in time saves nine miles walk.

Ain't it grand out seein' the world?
—Mrs. Romeo James Jr.

hot love

Fountain of Youth"

My motto is always 'No Parking'
Whenever I go for a ride."

Rode with Mayfair "Arrested 10 times"
looking!

Zenetta Parts

"Nettie & Aide"

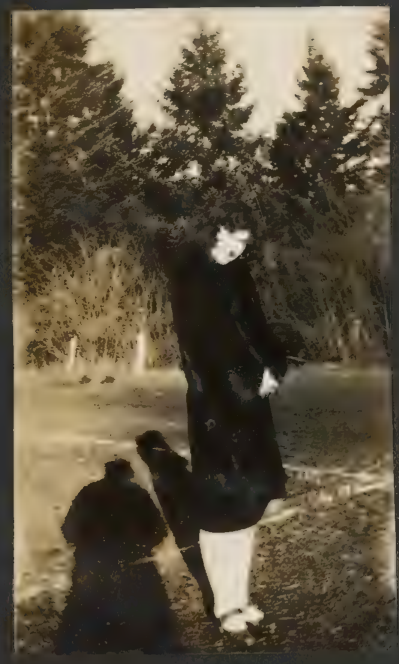
"Oh! Dear!"

"Oh! That's By Poe"

"Br-r-r It's Cold"

"I'll Be Up Sunday"

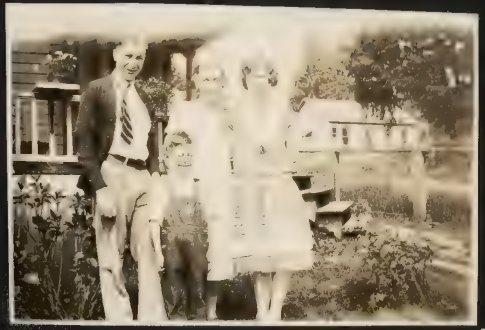
Maynard

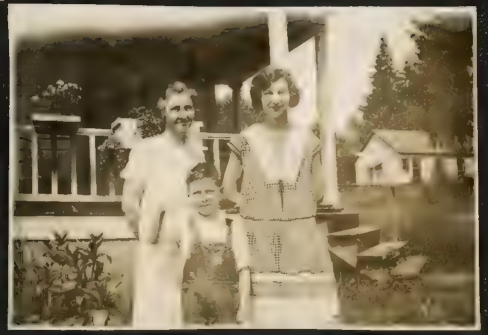


FILMS

PPD
FREE

Stan, Mom, Grand Booth & Joan





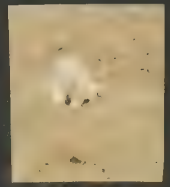
Mahler's Pages

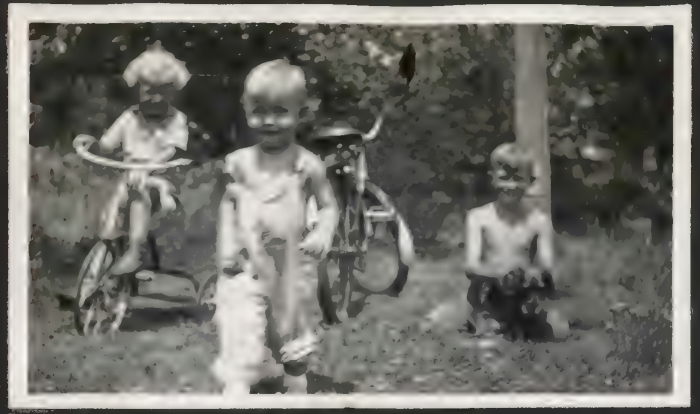
16 mos.

2 yrs. 4 mos.

9 mos.

PEARL STREET, ELLENSBURG, WASH.





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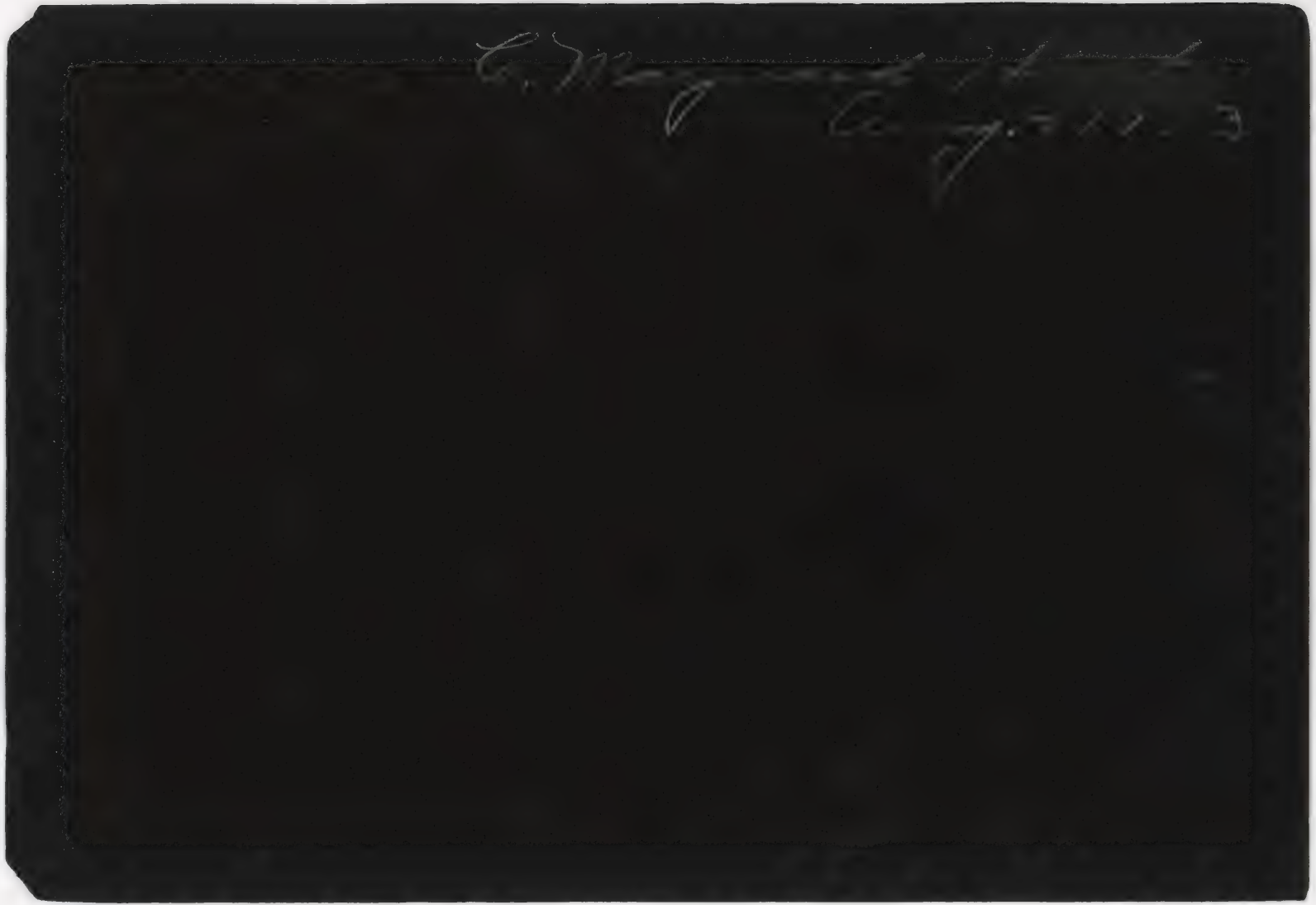
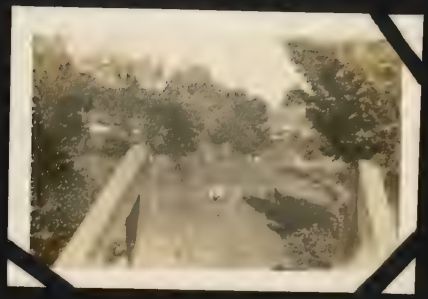


Pete



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